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Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout and Rheumatic Pains of all kinds

That was ever introduced in the Materia Medica. The **UNK WEED REMEDY**, as prepared by us, in consequence of the existing bitter principle, possesses the necessary virtue of being a

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Promoting the Appetite and Invigorating the whole Digestive Apparatus, thus building up and strengthening the system, while at the same time the volatile principle being absorbed in the blood, acts specifically on the Rheumatic Poison, removing it from the circulation and system.

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LANGLEY & CO.,
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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING CONSTANTLY on hand and receiving each season

NEW FURS,

beg to inform the public that in order to accommodate persons wishing to purchase small quantities, which they have been unable to do hitherto owing to the furs being all in first hands they have appointed Mr W B Wilson of Wharf street, their Agent. Orders from persons wishing

Sets of Martin, Mink, Fisher, Lynx, Wolverine, Beaver, Silver Grey and Red Fox, or Land and Sea Otter Furs, Bear Skins, etc.,

Will be promptly filled. This is an opportunity seldom to be met with, as the furs of this winter's hunt are now all on hand.

CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN,
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ITS EFFECT IS

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IT IS A PERFECT AND WONDERFUL article. Cures baldness. Makes hair grow. A better dressing than any "oil or pomatum." Softens brash, dry and wiry hair into Beautiful Silken Tresses. But, above all, the great wonder is the rapidity with which it restores GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR.

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The first application will do good; you will see the NATURAL COLOR returning every day, and

BEFORE YOU KNOW IT,

the old, gray, discolored appearance of the hair will be gone, giving place to lustrous, shining and beautiful locks.

Ask for Hall's Sicilian Hair Renewer; no other article is at all like it in effect.

See that each bottle has our private Government Stamp over the top of the bottle. All others are imitations.

R. P. HALL & Co., Nashua, N. H., Propritors. For sale by all Druggists. my26 altw W3 tawD

New Advertisements.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Departure of Mails at Victoria Post Office.

	ARRIVES.	DEPARTS.
Esquimalt	Twice Daily	Twice Daily
Saanich	Thursday	Wednesday
Metchosin	Monday	Tuesday
Nanaimo and Way Ports	Thursday	Tuesday
New Westminster	Wednesday and Saturday	Tuesday and Friday
Cariboo and Way Places	Saturday	Friday
Canada, Great Britain and Europe	About 5th and 20th of each month	7th and 22nd of Each Month
*United States	Monday and Thursday	Tuesday and Friday

* Mails for Canada will also be sent by this Route, as well as by the Mail Steamer.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. se1 1y

FOR SALE —AT— Heywood's PORK PACKING ESTABLISHMENT YATES STREET,

FRESH PORK SAUSAGE
SUGAR CURED HAMS
FRESH LEAF LARD,

Also Fresh cured Breakfast Bacon on hand

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CAPTAIN SCHOLL,
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For Passage or Freight apply to
R. BRODRICK & CO., Agents,
Wharf street.

PUBLIC NOTICE TO MARINERS,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Fraser River Lightship will be moored in her position at the South Sandhead, Fraser River, on the 11th day of March next, and will show a fixed White Light as usual.

For the Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
B. W. PEARSE,
fe1 Surveyor General.

PURE, FRESH & SWEET ARE THE CANDIES

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF PLAIN and Fancy Candies. Also Sugar Toys, Crystalized bonbons for Christmas Trees, etc, etc, on hand for the

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OFFER FOR SALE AT LOW RATES the following goods, Ex "Pacific" and other recent arrivals:

10 TONS OATS,
5 TONS BARLEY
5 TONS WHEAT
5 TONS GROUND FEED
5 TONS FINE MIDDLINGS,
IMPERIAL, XXX SALEM,
TALMA MILLS, GRAHAM FLOUR.

Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Pearl Barley, Split Peas, No 1 Refined Sugar, Nos 1 and 2 S. I. Sugar, S F Syrup, Congou and U S Tea, Dried Apples, Star Lard, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Brooms, Tubs, Nails &c.

—ALSO—

Ibbotson's Celebrated Fraser River Salmon in Barrels.

Victoria, B C, Feb 6th, 1872. fe8 1m

San Juan Island LIME

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

J. ENGLEHARDT,
Sole Agent for British Columbia.

A SUPPLY CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Lime may be had at the Kiln on very reasonable terms.
N C BAILEY.
fe6

A. B. GRAY,

Importer of

Dry Goods,

BEGS TO RETURN THANKS TO THE public for the liberal patronage accorded to him in the past, and respectfully solicits its continuance, whilst he is temporarily absent from the Province, during which time his Stock will continuously receive additions from personal selections in the leading European markets.

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA,
1st August, 1871. fe14

IN WISHING THE PEOPLE OF VICTORIA

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

I beg, at the same time, to call their attention to my large and splendid assortment of the

Finest Family Groceries,

—COMPRISING—

Choicest Malaga Raisins,

This year's crop, received by Over and RR and the only ones in the market,

SULTANA RAISINS, ZANTE CURRANTS
CANDIED PEELS
JORDAN & SHELL ALMONDS
WALNUTS, HAZEL NUTS, &c
SMYRNA FIGS, GERMAN PRUNES
ASSORTED FLAVORING EXTRACTS

The Finest description of Preserved Fruits,

CREAM TARTAR, SALERATUS AND BAKING SODA

THAT FAVORITE

Refined CHINA SUGAR

Imported and sold exclusively by me,
Crushed (circle A), S I Sugar No 1 & 2, Extra No 1.

The Choicest Japan, Young Hyson, Congou and other Teas.

GROUND JAVA COFFEE

Acknowledged to be superior to any other sold in town.
Clear Lake, Eastern and Homemade Cheese,
Heywood's Bacon Hams and Lard.

My stock is unequalled by any establishment north of San Francisco, my prices are very Low, and I welcome the public to inspect the same before making their purchases elsewhere.

A RICKMAN,
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f 16

THOMAS HODGES,

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BREAD & GROCERIES

Delivered by my cart to any part of the city FREE OF CHARGE. fe21

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR

FURS, HIDES,
WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
AND CALFSKINS,

By

L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf Street.
de29 3m

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Fashionable Dressmaker

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ja18 3m

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JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA, PHYsician, Surgeon and Accoucher,
Cormorant street, three doors below Kwong Lee's
At San Shu Lee's house.

Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale. Medicines just received from China.
au2

J. BAGNALL,

PIANO MAKER, TUNER & Repairer, has removed to No 19 Fort St, where he respectfully solicits a continuance of past favors.

Pianos and Harmoniums for Sale, Hire or Exchange, by J Dean. Apply as above.

A Piano kept for the use of Pupils. au26 6m

Bass' Ale

IN HOGSHEADS AND TIERCES,

FOR SALE IN BOND OR DUTY PAID by

fe1 **LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & Co**

Notices.

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance 1870," and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of Crown Grants

To WILLIAM PARSONS SAYWARD of East ½ of Sections 1 and 2, and West ½ of Sections 3 and 4, Range VI, Chemainus District.

To JAMES DOUGLAS WARREN, of Section 7, Range VII, Chemainus District.

And to EDWARD DAVIS HEATLEY and GEORGE CAMPBELL, of Lot 264, Group 1 (one) in the District of New Westminster.

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the meantime against the issue thereof respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN, Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Dec 23, 1871. de27

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1871"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, recommend issue of Crown Grants

To WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, of Sections 49, 50, 3 and 64 Lake District.

To HENRY ALEXANDER, of Section 1 East, 14 South, District of South Saanich.

To WILLIAM HERBERT EVANS, of Sections 24 and 25 Lake District.

To JOHN PIERCE, of Sections V North, Range II East, and V North, Range III East, District of North Saanich.

To HAMILTON ANSTRUTHER, of Sections XXXII, XXXIV, and CI, of Esquimalt District.

To WILLIAM FEAY and CHARLES HENRY FEAY, of Sections VII and VIII North, Range East District of North Saanich.

To ROBERT WEIR, Section XXXI Metchosin District, and Section XIII Sooke District.

To JOSEPH WESTROP CAREY, Section XII, Lake District.

And to JOHN ASH, of Section XVI and XIII, Comox District, excepting out of the last mentioned Section, a piece of land at the South-western end thereof (adjoining the land of Charles Green), measuring 5 chains north by 25 chains east.

Unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime against the issue thereof, respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, Registrar General.
16th December, 1871. de17

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th, February, 1872.

THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT OF THE Trustees of the Victoria Cemetery is herewith published, in conformity with the provisions of section 10 of the "Cemetery Ordinance, 1870."

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Abstract of the Accounts of the Trustees of the Victoria Cemetery.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
1870		1870.	
Between July 6th and Dec 31st	$40 00	For work and labor	$41 00
Balance due Trustees	6 50	Sundries	5 50
	$46 50		$46 50
1871.		1871.	
Between Jan. 1st and Fe. 31st	$175 00	Balance due	6 50
		For work and labor	67 00
		Sundries	3 16
		Balance in hand	98 34
	$175 00		$175 00

W. J. MACDONALD, } Trustees.
JOHN ASH, }

Certified that I have examined the above abstract with the vouchers in support thereof, both on the charge and discharge side of the account, and found the same correct.

THOMAS R. HOLMES.
January 18th, 1872. fe25d&w

$250 REWARD!

WHEREAS THE STORE OF MESSRS Burns & Edwards, Victoria, was burglariously entered by some person or persons on the night of the 7th or morning of the 8th instant, and sundry articles of clothing were stolen therefrom. A reward of $250 will be given for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the thief or theives.

A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.
Victoria, B C, 9th Feb., 1872. fe10

ROAD TAX LISTS, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO ALL whom it may concern, that copies of the Road Tax Assessment Rolls, for the year 1872, are left at the following places in the several districts:—

North Saanich District, at H Wain's
South Saanich District, at L Eckstein's
Lake District, at the Royal Oak Hotel
Sooke District, at M Muir's
Metchosin District, at the Schoolhouse, Metchosin
Esquimalt District, at the Four-mile-house
Esquimalt Town, at J T Howard's
Victoria West, at P Everett's "Horse and Jockey"
Victoria District, Cedar Hill Road, Oakland Estate, and Spring Ridge at the Lion Brewery Tap
Point Ellis, at the Rock Bay House
Saanich Road, Topaze Avenue, and Section III., Finlayson Estate, at P Walsh's Bridge Tavern
Fort Street and Cadboro Bay Road, at the house of Thos Woods, Fort street
Mount Tolmie Cross Road, at the Richmond Hotel
Fairfield Estate and Foul Bay Road, at Clover Point Hotel
James' Bay and Beckley Farm, at F Larkin's James' Bay
Burnside Road, at M Rowland's
And also at the office of the undersigned

W. C. JEFFREY,
Collector under the Road Ordinance.
Victoria, 18th Feb, 1872. fe18

NOTICE.

ROAD TAX LISTS, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a list of all persons within the Districts of Cowichan and Salt Spring Island, who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year, 1872, has been posted at the following places:—

Court House, Cowichan,
Harris' Landing,
Maple Bay Landing,
Mr. Drinkwater's, Somenos,
Mr. Fry's, Chemainus,
SALT SPRING ISLAND
School House, Central Settlement,
Mr. Mitchell's, Burgoyne Bay

Copies of which are deposited in the office of Mr. Morley, near Maple Bay, and can be inspected at all reasonable hours.

JNO MORLEY,
Collector under the Road Ordinance.
Maple Bay, Feb 21st, 1872. fe25d&w

OMINECA MINING COURT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on and after the 15th October, all mining claims legally held in the Omineca District, will be laid over until the 1st day of June, 1872.

P. O'REILLY,
Gold Commissioner.
Omineca, Oct 13th, 1871. de15

Card of Thanks to Dr Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong, which charge, I may also say, was reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia.

WILLIAM McCORMICK.
Victoria, Aug 28th, 1871. fe17

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIRST Sitting of the Court of Appeal for the Esquimalt Town Road District will be held at the School House, Esquimalt, on Saturday the 24th instant, at 12 o'clock, noon.

D CAMERON.
W FISHER.
th February, 1872. fe18

Dentistry.

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, MD.

SURGEON DENTIST.

DR. BARNARD HAS HAD FOR several months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Whalebone-Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.

We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other Dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island.

Dr. B's large experience may be readily seen in the happy and natural expression given his patrons by his life-like insertion of artificial Teeth.

The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in adopting helps and hints touching his own interest and that of his patrons.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store. Business hours from 8 a m till 5 p m.

Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 d&w is

Mills Bowden, DENTIST,

May be found over H F Heistermann's, Langley street from 9.30 a m to 4 p m. Back entrance on Government street. de7

MRS. MAYNARD'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

JOHNSON ST. NEAR DOUGLAS.

ALL KINDS OF
PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS
on hand and for sale at low rates. ja30

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J CROSSEN
AT THE
Variety Store.

Yates street, near Douglas,

OFFERS HIS ENTIRE STOCK

AT AUCTION PRICES TO CLOSE,

AS FOLLOWS;

Gentlemen's Clothing,
Youths' and Boys' Clothing,
Underclothing,
Hosiery,
Ladies' Undergarments and Skirts,
Toweling and Tablecloths,
Blankets and Pillows
2000 pairs Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, for Gentlemen, Ladies, Misses and children,
14 doz Boys' and Men's Hats,
Ladies' Bonnets and Gipsy Hats,
50 doz Pocket Cutlery and Platedware,
Coal Oil Lamps and Chimneys,
Crockeryware, Decanters, &c,
Looking Glasses, all sizes,
Pictures, Brooms, Buckets and Tubs,
Patent Thread and Wrapping Twine,
Window Shades and Blinds,
and a large variety of other goods.
ALSO—Three Sets of Harness and 1 Spanish Saddle.
ja 13

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Tuner and Repairer of all kinds of Musical Instruments.

Charges Very Reasonable.

OFFERS FOR SALE LOW THE BEAUtiful Organ, removed from the late Christ Church Cathedral, and since Refitted and Improved with Composition Pedals and gold front.

All orders left at the Australian Hotel, James Bay Bridge, will be promptly attended to. oc8

WM STEINBERGER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Wines & Liquors

JOHNSON STREET,

ja20 6m Next to the Ferry Landing

FRED'K REYNOLDS, FAMILY BUTCHER

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Meats and Vegetables

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO
HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF and MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.

fe11 **LONDON MARKET.**

EX "CAMDEN"

SUGAR & MOLASSES

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

FOR SALE BY

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

fe14 1m **WHARF STREET.**

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A tract of land, containing 660 acres, situated on the right bank of the Columbia River, about five miles south of the Blackberry River, is reserved until further notice. The Storehouses of the Canadian Pacific Railway Survey are the centre of the said Reserve.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, 27th February, 1872. mh3

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.

se30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Miscellaneous.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE REceived at the office of George Watt, Esq., Commissariat Officer and Paymaster of the Canadian Pacific Railway Victoria, British Columbia, up to noon of 15th of March, 1872, for the following Supplies, all of which must be of the very best quality, of the different kinds specified. Samples of the various articles to be sent to the above office.

One lot of supplies to be delivered on or before the 10th day of May next at La Porte, on the Columbia River and marked T / C. P. R.; the other lot to be delivered on or before the 20th day of March next at the Boat Landing on the Columbia River, which is about 95 miles above Wild Horse Creek, and to which place Supplies were packed for the Railway last year without any difficulty. This lot to be marked S / C. P. R.

A separate tender to be put in for each lot stating the price of each article in detail at the point where it is to be delivered. Tenders to be marked respectively No 1 T / C. P. R. and No 2 S / C. P. R. All tenders to be addressed to George Watt, Esq., Commissariat Officer and Paymaster C. P. Railway, Victoria, B. C., and endorsed Tenders for Supplies Howe Pass district.

All supplies to be properly packed up in bales, gunny sacks, cases, &c, &c, as the case may be.

List of Supplies to be delivered at La Porte and Marked T / C.P.R.

Bacon	1,500 pounds
Mess Pork	1,000 "
Corned Beef	2,500 "
Beef Cattle averaging 400 lbs ea	4,000 "
Flour	10,000 "
Beans	700 "
Dried Apples	1,800 "
Coffee (Green)	150 "
Coffee (Ground)	150 "
Tea, Black	200 "
Sugar, No 1 S I	1,600 "
Farina	600 "
Rice, No 1	200 "
Salt, coarse, Liverpool	300 "
Salt, table, 5lb and 10lb bags	100 "
Mustard	25 "
Pepper	20 "
Soap, yellow	200 "
Currants	250 "
Syrup	50 gallons
Castile Soap	2 bars
Raisins	5 boxes
Candles	6 boxes
Lime Juice	10 gallons
Pickles	10 gallons
Yeast Powders	20 dozen
Gunny Sacks	1 bale

Bonds signed by two good and sufficient surties for the sum of $5000 will have to accompany each tender for the above lot to ensure the safe delivery of the goods as specified.

List of Supplies to be delivered at the Boat Landing and marked S / C.P.R.

Bacon	2,000 pounds
Mess Pork	2,000 "
Beef Cattle, say 500 lbs, 15 head	7,500 "
Flour	25,000 "
Beans	3,000 "
Dried Apples	3,000 "
Coffee, green	200 "
Coffee, ground	200 "
Tea, black	250 "
Sugar, S I No 1	2,000 "
Farina	1,000 "
Rice No 1	400 "
Salt, coarse, Liverpool	500 "
Salt, 5lb and 10lb bags	300 "
Mustard	60 "
Pepper	60 "
Soap, yellow	400 "
Currants	500 "
Tobacco assorted	400 "
Soap, Castile	6 boxes
Syrup	100 gallons
Raisins	10 boxes
Yeast Powders (tins)	100 dozen
Candles	12 boxes
Pickles	20 gallons
Lime Juice	15 gallons
Socks, strong knitted wool	20 dozen
Undershirts	6 "
Overshirts	6 "
Overalls	6 "
Pea Jackets	4 "
Drawers	8 "
Gloves, ½ buckskin ½ wool	6 "
Hats	4 "

Bonds signed by two good and sufficient Sureties for the sum of $10,000 will have to accompany each tender for the above lot, to ensure the safe delivery of the goods as specified.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Parties wishing further information can have it by applying to the undersigned.

WALTER MOBERLY,
Engineer, Howse Pass District,
Canadian Pacific Railway.
fe21 New Westminster papers copy.

CURRIE & CO.

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

SKEENA RIVER

WILL BE PREPARED ON THE 1st of April to carry

Passengers and Freight

From Skeenamouth to the Forks in

FIRST CLASS BOATS

And Forward Goods to the Omineca Mines With Dispatch.

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HAVE PECULIAR FACILITIES FOR the transportation and delivery of coal to any part of the city.

None but the Best Nanaimo Coal Sold.

The full English Ton of 2,240 lbs guaranteed.

N. B.—Steamers and Shipping supplied at shortest notice. fe17

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The "GRESHAM"

HALF CABINET

LOCK STITCH WITH SHUTTLE

Reversible Feed Motion

PRICE $40.

FOR SALE BY

R. BEAVEN,

fe10 1m **GOVERNMENT STREET,**

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Wednesday Morning, March 6, 1872

The Estimates.

The Estimates of Expenditure for the current year were put in the hands of members yesterday: As they eagerly scanned the items of appropriation for the various Districts, the faces of members presented an interesting study, indicating in a majority of cases, disappointment. Where the whole sum at the disposal of the Government for this class of expenditure only amounts to some two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, while the sums asked for by members aggregate upwards of seven hundred and fifty thousand, it is scarcely surprising that the feeling of dissatisfaction should have predominated; a feeling which will doubtless tone down with sober, second thought. It is obvious that, with two hundred and fifty thousand at its disposal, the Government could not well be expected to appropriate three quarters of a million. The question as to whether even-handed justice has been done as between the various districts, is one upon which it is not proposed now to enter. Turning to another class of expenditure, we find that the pruning knife has been applied to the official tree; but a hasty glance would lead us to fear that the work of retrenchment has been approached in a cheese-paring, rather than in that thorough and substantial manner the country had been led to expect. Yet it would scarcely be fair, in the few hasty remarks we are enabled to devote to the subject, to pass any very decided opinion.

Dominion Mail Summary.

A rowing match over the Kennebecasis, four miles for $1,000, has been at length arranged between Fulton and Brown.

Le Journal de Quebec asserts that clerical influence was used in a most extraordinary manner to defeat the North Shore Railway aid bye-law in Champlain county.

A company which has been formed to develope the resources of the Island of Anticosta will apply to the Dominion Parliament next session for an Act of incorporation.

Death has caused another vacancy in the Dominion Senate. Mr Caleb R. Bill, of King's County, Nova Scotia, died at his residence on Wednesday evening after a long illness.

It is reported that the Dominion Government contemplates sending an emigration agent to the north of Scotland, and that the choice will fall upon Mr Alex Begg, of the Inland Revenue Department at Ottawa.

A synopsis of the report of the New Brunswick 'better terms' delegation to Ottawa is given in the St John's *Globe.* According to this report the delegates were assured by the Privy Council, in a general and indefinite way, that relief would be granted to the Province.

The revenue of the Dominion for January was $2,317,579, expenditure $2,511,639. The payment of subsidies to the Provinces and the interest on the public debt, which is made at the beginning of the year, no doubt accounts for this large excess of expenditure over revenue.

Mr Donald A, Smith has returned to Manitoba and taken his seat in the Legislative Assembly of that province. He stated that while in Montreal he had been making arrangements for the construction of a railway to Fort Garry, and he believed that work would soon be accomplished.

The Canada *Gazette* contains a notice from Victoria, B C, of application for an Act to incorporate the 'Western Pacific Railway Company' for the purpose of building a railway accross Vancouver Island, thence by ferry to the mainland, and thence across the Rocky Mountains to meet the Canada Pacific.

The Government of Nova Scotia are preparing for the meeting of the Legislature which takes place on the 10th. It is claimed that they will have a majority of ten, exclusive of the Independent members whose political principles are of a nondescript character. The choice of Speaker lies between the ex-Speaker, Hon J C Troop, of Annapolis, and Mr W, B, Dess Bri ay, of Lunenburgh.

The Manitoba Legislature unanimously adopted a resolution asking the Dominion Government to bear the expense of erecting Parliament and other public buildings in that Province. The Legislature had been much agitated over the Scott murder question. The action was taken in consequence of the interference of Ontario, which one section of the House appeared to regard as impertinent. Attorney General Clark moved a resolution repudiating outside interference, and, in the course of his remarks, praised Riel as a hero, and denounced Blake in coarse and violent language. Mr Hays moved an amendment which, while it asserted the right of the Legislature to conduct its own affairs without interference, declared the self-evident truth that each Province had a right to express its opinion respecting the murder of a fellow-subject, and, in this case, Ontario, especially as the murdered man was one of its citizens. The galleries were crowded with excited spectators during the debate, who, at the close of Mr. Hay's speech expressed their sympathy with his sentiments by loud cheers. This interference with the dignity of parliamentary proceedings was rebuked by the Att'y-General, and the galleries were cleared. The debate left no doubt as to Governor Archibald having shaken hands with Riel. The amendment was lost by a vote of 18 to 5, and the motion carried by same vote. Very great feeling was manifested outside.

The new 'National Party' of Quebec is actively at work laying its schemes with a view of successfully competing in the next electoral campaign for the Dominion Parliament.

Three of the Pacific Railway exploring parties have returnd to Ottawa. They explored 70 miles east of Lake Nipegon, 150 miles west of Montreal River, and from French River to the Sault, and report that they found no insuperable difficulties in the way.

The Manitoba Cabinet is reported as being in imminent danger of disruption from internal discord. It is reported that Mr. Clarke has retired into a judgeship, and Mr. Speaker Royal will take his place as Premier. A Bill respecting the registration of voters has passed its second reading. It has been framed directly in opposition to the interest of immigrants, as it excludes them from the franchise until they have been two years in the Province.

The Legislature of Ontario, by a vote of 54 to 19, has passed a Bill against the principle of dual representation. The Bill declares in effect that after the forthcoming general election for the Dominion, no person who shall sit and vote in the House of Commons can be any longer a member of the Ontario Legislature.

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COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Third Sitting of the Municipal Court of Revision will be held at the City Council Chambers, Broad St, on Tuesday, March 11th. at 11 o'clock, a. m.

By order, WM. T. LEIGH,
Clerk of the Court.
Victoria, B C, Mar. 5th, 1872. mh6

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PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE High Court of Chancery, made "In the matter of the Estate of William Montague Cochrane, formerly an Ensign, and late a Lieutenant of Her Majesty's 29th Regiment of Foot, deceased," and in a cause 'Moyse against Ward,' the Creditors and all persons having any claims or demands upon, or affecting the Estate of the said William Montague Cochrane, who some years since resided, or carried on business as one of the Firm of Goodwill, Cochrane and Goodwill, at or near the Town of Nottingham, and subsequently went to America, and died at sea, on board the steamship "City of Boston," in or about the month of January, 1870, are on or before the 22nd day of March, 1872, to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Ward, Mills and Witham, of No. 1, Gray's Inn Square, in the County of Middlesex, the Solicitors of the Defendant, the Executor of the Deceased, their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their debts, claims or demands, a statement of their Accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every Creditor or other person holding any security, is to produce the same before the Vice Chancellor, Sir John Wickens, at his Chambers situate at 12, Old Square, Lincoln's Inn, in the County of Middlesex, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1872, at One o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the debts, claims, or demands.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1871.
ALFRED HALL,
Chief Clerk.
E. W. & R. C. MOTE,
14, Warwick Court, Gray's Inn, London,
mh6 d&w Plaintiff's Solicitors.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
4th March, 1872

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DIrects that the following Telegram which he has just received be published in the desire to prevent Her Majesty's loyal subjects in this Province from suffering any anxiety through exaggerated or incorrect reports of the event to which it refers, and in full assurance that it will afford a fresh occasion for the renewed expression of the attachment of the people of British Columbia to the person of our beloved Sovereign.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Colonial Secretary.

Ottawa, Ontario, March 1st, 1872.
Received at Victoria, March 4th, at 4 p.m.
To Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia:

I have received the following telegram from Lord Kimberley, of which you can make such use as you may think proper.

LISGAR.

"Yesterday a youth presented a pistol at the Queen, when about to leave her carriage at Buckingham Palace, on returning from her drive. He was immediately seized The pistol was found not to be loaded. Her Majesty behaved with the greatest courage and composure, and is in good health and spirits. This is sent to prevent alarm from exaggerated reports.

mh5 1wd&w (Signed) KIMBERLEY"

Barnard's Express

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E. A. WHITTINGHAM,
WILLIAM KEOHAN.
Witness—Edwin Johnson, Solicitor, Victoria.
Parsons Bridge, Esquimalt Dist., March 4th. mh5

Puget Sound Dispatch

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PUBLISHED ON THURSDAYS
In time to reach Victoria on that day by the
NORTH PACIFIC,

The Latest Telegraphic News will be found up to morning of publication.

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.
The Entire Stock of
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PANTS—White and Drab Mole, Cord, Cass., Black Cloth, Scotch Tweed, Blue Beaver, Duck, Riding and other.

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Black Cassimere, Union, Oxford Grey, Mantle, 8-qr Melton and Scotch Tweed

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UNDERSHIRTS & DRAWERS—Plain and Ribbed, Brown and White Cotton, Drab & Fancy Striped Merino, White and Scarlet Flannels, & a large asst of Lambs Wool Underclothing, Wove and Printed Crimean and Baltic Shirts in great variety, Heavy Grey and Blue Serge Overshirts, Boys and Youths' Underclothing, White L. C. Shirts, Men's, Youths' and Boys' J. R. Braces, Black Silk Ties and Neckhandkerchiefs, Silk and Gingham Umbrellas, Men's White and Brown Cotton ½-Hose, Men's Shetland Wool Socks, Men's Drab and Fancy Striped Merino ½ Hose, Silk Bandanas and Corah Hdkfs, Fancy Cotton, Linen Cambric, and Fancy Bordered Hdkfs, Men's Brown, Blk, and Drab Felt Hats, Black and Drab Sou'westers, Men's and Boys' Scotch Tweed, Balmoral and Cloth Caps, Men's White and Colored Ringwood Gloves, Hickory Shirts Linen Collars, etc.

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A Fine Lot of Black Llama, Tartan and Shepherd Check Single and Double Shawls

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Coburgs, assorted colors, Grey, Drab and Black Alpacas, Plain and Fancy French Delaines and Merinos, a large and well selected assortment Winseys 6-4 all wool Tartans, Mohairs, Lustres and Fancy Goods in great variety, Repps in desirable colors, Balmoral Skirts and Skirting, a large ass't. of Ladies' Corsets, Cord and Beaded Chenille Hair Nets, Garibaldi Jackets, Opera Hoods, Blk and Colored Velvet Ribbons, Sarsnet and Tartan Ribbons in assorted colors and widths.

FLANNELS—White and Brown Canton, Union, Welch and Colored.

Bed Ticking, White and Grey Cottons, Croyden Sheetings, Scotch Gingham (Fancy Striped.)

A large Assortment of French and English Prints desirable Patterns and Colors.

Alhambra Quilts, Marseilles Counterpans and Toilet Covers, Ladies' and Misses' White and Fancy Striped Cotton & Worsted Hose, Boys' and Children's Cotton and Worsted Hose, Ladies' and Children's Kid and Woolen Gloves, Glazed and Twilled Linings, assorted Hollands, Huckaback and Glass Cloths, Damask and Turkish Towels, Damask Table Napkins, Victoria Tablecovers, White and Colored Tarltons, Ladies Gaiters, a large assortment of Gold and Jet Jewelery, black, white and drab Linen Thread, Victoria Pins, a large assortment of Tapes, Braids, Hooks and Eyes, Pearl & Bone Coats, Vest and Brace Buttons, Packing Twine, Hoop Skirts, etc.

TERMS—All sums under $250, cash; over $250 and under $500, 30 days; over $500 and under $1000, 60 days; over $1000 and under $2000, 90 days; over $2000, 120 days; on approved endorsed notes.

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J. P. DAVIES,
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New Advertisements.

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Hams	"	Coffee Beans	per lb
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Peas	"	Mustard	"
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Dried Apples	"	Salt, table	"
Tea black	"	Salt, coarse	"
Candles, Belmont	"	Soap, sco.	"
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Pickles	per doz	Pres'd Vegetables	"
Flour Bags			

BONDS for the faithful performance of said work for $5,000, to be entered into Any particulars can be obtained from GEO. WATT.
Victoria, Feb. 29th, 1872. mh1

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SAVINGS BANK.

STATEMENT of the position of the British Columbia Savings Banks, at 31st December, 1871, published pursuant to the provisions of the "Savings Banks Ordinance, 1869."

GENERAL BALANCE.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.	
Due by the Bank to Depositors, viz:—			Cash in hand at Head Office and Branches	$ 2,708 92
At Head Office	$103,350 98		Do in Bank of British Columbia	5,817 71
" Nanaimo Branch	11,740 56		Amount invested with the Government of British Columbia	125,000 00
" New Westminster Branch	12,606 13			
" Yale Branch	650 80			
" Cariboo Branch	4,052 87			
		132,401 34		
Balance at Credit of Profit and Loss		1,120 29		
		$133,521 63		$133,52 63

Victoria, British Columbia,
February 23, 1872.
F. J. ROSCOE,
A. J. LANGLEY, Commissioners of Savings Banks.

I Certify that I have examined the accounts of the British Columbia Savings Banks for the year ended 31st December, 1871, and have found the above abstract to be correct.

ROBERT KER,
Audit Office, February 23rd, 1872. Auditor General.

I hereby certify that the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($125,000) is the balance standing to the credit of the Commissioners of the British Columbia Savings Banks, in the Books of the Government of British Columbia, at 31st December, 1871.

Treasury, British Columbia, JOHN GRAHAM,
February 23rd, 1872. fe25d&w In Charge.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Wednesday Morning, March 6, 1872.

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IMPORTS.

Per steamship PRINCE ALFRED from San Francisco—36 pkgs boots and shoes, 13 pkgs candies, 8 pkgs paper, 1 cs stationery, 10 cs glass beads, 50 pkgs tea, 3 cs butter, 8 pkgs cheese, 10 brls cream tartar, 5 cs peaches, 9 cs honey, 40 bxs soap, 1 bag corks, 30 demijohns, 20 axle arms, 1 plate steel, 5 cs tobacco, 1 cs organs, 27 pkgs drugs, 10 cs lard, 3 cs clothing, 16 cs pipes, 1 bx albums 192 pkgs hardware, 21 cs mdse, 153 coils rope, 1 coil wire rope, 16 pkgs furniture, 2 cs sausage 1 ble gum catauhuc 1 keg alum, 1 keg sal galarba, 3 bxs scrub, 2 rolls belting, 25 bxs pearl barley, 35 packages peas, 25 pkgs oatmeal, 5 pkgs buckwheat; 12½ half brls flour, 12 cs bacon, 2 cases ginger, 60 sks middlings, 68 sks beans, 1 bx sandstone, 1 sk shoe lasts, 5 rolls leather, 1 cs sheepskins, 2 bxs oranges, 57 brls syrup, 456 mats rice, 8 cs cigars, 282 sks barley, 214 sks oats, 1 cs oil, 1 keg seed, 1 pkg linen, 1 bl pick handles, 1 bdl brushes, 2 cs powder, 25 yeast powder, 86 pkgs groceries, 6 pkgs plants, 8 pkgs fruit.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamship PRINCE ALFRED from San Francisco—HM, G Burthop, T G Lowe, G H Phelps, L&JB, LS&co, AR, D W&Co, AC&co, A Fellows, T N Hibben & Co, GS&co, Wm Jones, HBco, Jesse Cowper, CL&co, TS, CS&co, WGN, JG J Dickson, Adams&co, J Weir, H, HLE, AR, C&G, CFN, AR, CB, RC, P&S, R Maynard, Switzer &co, W Heathorn, FB, JD, FDB, M, S&R, ICL, KL, XYE, TW, TS&co, IS, A R&co, RM&co, YS, J Cunningham, Seattle Coal co, VM& L&co, EW, JR, CTM, PE, JR, F, DL, LR, Wells Fargo&co, AF, Dr A Eggert, Dr Powell, E&co, F, F&P, J P Davies, JB JBP, L D Durquin, MD&N, S, S Briard.

First Provincial Legislative Assembly.

FIRST SESSION.

TUESDAY, March 5th, 1872.

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:10 p. m. Present:—Hons. McCreight, Robertson, Walkem, Holbrook, and Messrs Semlin, Duck, Armstrong, Todd, Beaven, W Smithe, Mara, R. Smith, C. Booth, *J.* P. Booth, Hughes, Cogan, Hunter, Bunster, Jamieson, Robson, Humphreys, Ash, Robinson.

ADDRESS TO HER MAJESTY.

Hon Mr McCreight, rising, said he was about to introduce a resolution with respect to the intelligence received last evening from London. He was sure that in no part of the country would a more sincere feeling of sympathy be manifested towards Her Majesty than in British Columbia, and he begged, therefore, to move the following resolutions:

Resolved, That this House has learned with unfeigned regret of the insane attack that has been made upon Her Majesty; and that we, the Members of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, on behalf of ourselves and the people of this Province, beg to be permitted to offer to Her Majesty the assurance of our profound sympathy with her, and of our loyal attachment to Her Royal Person; and that His Excellency the Lieut. Governor be respectfully requested to forward the above resolutions to the Governor-General of the Dominion for transmission to Her Majesty. (Cheers.)

Mr C Booth, in rising to second the resolution, felt his inability to express his feelings or do justice to the subject [cheers]; for though far removed from the Mother Country, the Throne of which was occupied by the best Sovereign that had ever graced any Throne, yet our feelings of sympathy were strong towards that Sovereign whom it was our duty and pleasure to serve. (Cheers.) In concluding his short but patriotic and eloquent address, Mr Booth said that the name of Her Majesty would be cherished by the civilized world, long after many thrones and dynasties shall have passed away and that Her Majesty would be referred to as "VICTORIA, THE GREAT AND THE GOOD." [Loud cheers.]

The resolution was passed unanimously.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr Beaven rose to a question of privilege. In the BRITISH COLONIST he was reported to have said that he had brought up the Trades Licenses Amendment Bill so that the Government might strike Victoria off the Estimates. What he said was that he introduced it so that the Government should not count upon the Trades Licenses in framing the Estimates.

Mr Humphreys said THE COLONIST had misrepresented him in stating that he asked whether the offer of the removal of the road tolls was not a bribe. What he asked was, whether the appropriation for the William Creek Fire Brigade was not a bribe?

PETITION.

A petition from Mr. Robt. Plummer, an elector of Victoria District, complaining of the absence of Mr DeCosmos from his seat, was presented by Mr Beaven, but the House declined to receive it.

ESTIMATES.

Hon Mr Robertson introduced the Estimates and moved their reference to a Committee of Supply on Monday, the 11th inst. Carried.

COUNTY COURT JUDGES.

Mr Humphreys moved the following resolution:—

"That the gentlemen who now are, and have been, holding and exercising the office of County Court Judges in this Province are not Barristers, and are not skilled in the law; and whereas the present County Court system is anomalous and dangerous; and whereas it is expedient to appoint Barristers learned in the law, who shall hold and exercise the office of County Court Judges; be it therefore *Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, praying that not less than three competent County Court Judges be appointed for the Province of British Columbia as soon as practicable

In moving the resolution, Mr. Humphreys mentioned the case of a Mr. Carson, in Lillooet, who had a water-right which a Capt. Hartley claimed. The case was brought before the Lillooet Magistrate who granted an injunction against either using the water, and if it had not been overruled the crops of both claimants would have been lost. Mr. Saunders (the Lillooet Magistrate) acknowledged to him (Mr. Humphreys) that he had no right to grant the injunction, but that he did it with the object of inducing the persons to settle their difficulty. The case of Kay and Allen was also cited, and the hon. mover said the County Court system on the Mainland was in a most disgraceful state.

Mr. Jamieson seconded.

Hon. Mr. Walkem moved to institute the words "the Lieut-Governor" in place of "the Governor-General."

The amendment was accepted by the mover.

Mr. Beaven suggested that the County Judges should not be allowed to practice.

Mr. Robson said that they certainly could not under the Dominion Law.

Hon. Mr. McCreight was of the same opinion.

The resolution as amended was passed.

N. W. PRISONERS.

Mr. Humphreys moved that a respectful address be presented to His Excellency the Lieut-Governor, praying that all papers and correspondence referring to the condition of prisoners confined in the gaol at New Westminster be sent down to the House.

Mr. Bunster seconded,

Mr. Armstrong did not see the object of resolution. He knew that the Government had discharged their full duty towards the prisoners. The Board of Management had done their best to get a medical man for the hospital who would also attend to the gaol.

Hon. Mr. Holbrook said the gaol was a pattern for the whole Province.

Mr. Robson hoped the Government would not oppose this motion.

Hon. Mr. McCreight disclaimed that intention on the part of the Government.

Hon. Mr. Robertson said that there was no correspondence that would throw the slightest light upon the subject. What there was, however, the House could have.

The resolution was then passed.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr R Smith—That an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Lieut. Governor praying for all papers connected with the trail between the Mouth of Quesnelle and Germansen Creek, (Omineca), by J C Barnes.

Mr Humphreys — On Thursday next that this House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the advisability of transmitting an address to the Canadian Government soliciting them to pass an Act to impose certain duties upon the following articles, viz: Wheat, 10c per 100lbs.; flour, 50c per barrel; butter, 12½c per firkin; eggs, 12½c.

Mr Duck—On Thursday next to ask the Hon Attorney-General, Does section eleven of the Homestead Ordinance, 1867, exempt goods and chattels that have never been paid for from forced seizure.

Mr Duck—On Thursday next to ask the Hon Attorney General, Has the Corporation of the City of Victoria any rights over the water frontage of Victoria harbor, and if so in what do such rights consist.

Mr Beaven—On Thursday next to move that a Committee be formed to frame a Municipal Act in accordance with the requirements of the whole Province. The Committee to consist of Messrs J. P. Booth, John Robson, Hon. A. R. Robertson, C. Booth, *J.* A. Mara, R Beaven.

Mr Duck—On Thursday next to ask the Hon Attorney-General. Is the Weights and *Measures* Ordinance, 1868 applicable to the present time, and if so, who is the person appointed under section 6 of such Ordinance as Inspector of Weights and Measures.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

The Notaries Bill was read a third time and passed.

Mr. McCreight moved the second reading of the Legal Professions Bill.

Mr. Beaven moved that the Bill be read this day six months.

Mr. Humphreys and Mr. Bunster favored the measure.

House went into Committee, Mr. Cogan in the Chair, on the Legal Professions Bill.

Dr. Ash wished the words "or hereafter" to be placed on the rolls after the word "now," and after the word 'within' to insert the words "or hereafter admitted to practice within &c.'

Mr. Robertson wished to make those coming in hereafter pass an examination.

Mr. Robson said he wished to put those coming hereafter on the same footing as those at present practising here.

Mr. Armstrong wished to throw the legal profession open to every one.

Dr. Ash's motion was carried—10 to 3.

Mr. Robertson proposed an addition to the clause, which was lost.

The rest of the Bill was then passed and Committee rose and reported progress.

The report was adopted and the House adjourned till tomorrow at 2 p. m.

ESTIMATES

Of the total Expenditure of the Province of British Columbia for the year ending 31st December, 1872.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

1.—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,

Private Secretary	$ 1,452 00
Messenger, also has charge of Government House	600 00
Office Contingencies	100 00
Total	2,152 00

2—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Colonial Secretary	3,500 00
Assistant Colonial Secretary	1,940 00
Clerk	1,600 00
Messenger	600 00
Total	7,640 00

3 —PRINTING BRANCH.

Superintendent	1,320 00
Printer	960 00
Assistant Printer	640 00
Assistant Printer (temporary)	300 00
Total	3,220 00

4,—AUDIT BRANCH,

Audit Clerk	1.600 00

5 —TREASURY BRANCH.

Clerk in Charge (provisional)	1,940 00
Clerk	1 452 00
Total	3,392 00

6 —LANDS AND WORKS.

Chief Commissioner	3,500 00
Assistant Commissioner	2,425 00
Clerk of Records	1,320 00
Draughtsman	1,320 00
Accountant	1 320 00
Messenger and Clerk	600 00
Total	10.485 00

7 —REGISTRAR GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Registrar General of Titles	1,940 00

8.—ATTORNEY GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Attorney General	3,500 00
Clerk	1 600 00
Total	5,100 00

9 —EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

Clerk	1,600 00

10.—LEGISLATION.

Mr Speaker	1,000 00
Clerk of the House	600 00
Sergeant at-Arms	250 00
Messenger (Assistant Printer)	200 00
Indemnity to Members, including Mileage	7,800 00
Expenses of Elections	2,500 00
Contingent Fund	1 000 00
Total	13,350 00

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

11 – SUPREME COURT.

Registrar "Courts Merger Ordinance, 1870"	1,940 00
Deputy Registrar do	1,940 00
Usher	600 00
Total	4 480 00

12.—SHERIFF.

High Sheriff (aid of Expenses)	1.500 00

POLICE AND GAOLS.

13 —VICTORIA,

Clerk of the Bench	1,500 00
Warden of Gaol and Superintendent of Police	1 752 00
Inspector (provisional)	1,008 00
Sergeant	850 00
Four Constables, at $720 each	2,880 00
Gaoler	1,104 00
do Assistant	912 00
Superintendent of Convicts	1,008 00
Two Convict Guards	1,277 00
Two Door Guards	1,095 00
Cook	638 75
Medical Officer	600 00
Total	14,625 25

14—NEW WESTMINSTER.

Stipendary Magistrate and Superintendent of Assay Office	2,425 00
Two Constables at $720 each	1,440 00
Gaoler	1 104 00
Turnkey	708 00
Medical Officer	600 00
Constable, Burrard Inlet	600 00
Total	6,877 00

15. —KOOTENAY AND COLUMBIA.

Gold Commissioner and Stipendiary (to be appointed)	3,000 00
Clerk and Constable (Records &c)	1,704 00
do do French Creek	1,704 00
Two Constables at $1,404 each	2,808 00
Total	9,216 00

16—CARIBOO.

Gold Commissioner and Stipendiary Magistrate	3,000 00
Clerk of Records	1,940 00
Chief Constable	1,940 00
Constable and Gaoler	1,452 00
Two Constables at $1008 each	2 016 00
Constable at Quesnelle	1 500 00
Constable at Forks of Quesnelle	1,452 00
Total	13,300 00

17.—OMINECA (provisional)

Gold Commissioner and Stipendiary Magistrate.	3,000 00
Clerk of Records	1,940 00
Constable	1,500 00
Constable at Port Essington	1,000 00
Total	7,440 00

18—HOPE, YALE AND LYTTON.

Clerk of the Bench, Yale	1,500 00
Constable and Gaoler, do	1,008 00
Constable, Assistant, do	1,008 00
Constable, Lytton	1,008 00
Total	4,524 00

19.—LILLOOET AND CLINTON.

Clerk of the Bench and Constable, Lillooet	1 500 00
Do. Do. Clinton	1,500 00
Total	3,000 00

20 —NANAIMO, COMOX, SALT SPRING AND COWICHAN.

Clerk of the Bench, Nanaimo,	1,300 00
Constable, Nanaimo	732 00
Constables, Comox, Cowichan and Salt Spring Island, $250 each	750 00
Total	2,782 00

21.—ASSAY OFFICE.

Superintendent, New Westminster (provided for as Stipendiary Magistrate)		
Chief Melter, Cariboo		1,940 00
Assistant Assayer, do.		900 00
Indian Messenger, New Westminster		96 00
Chemicals, Fuel, etc	500 00	
Freight, etc	350 00	850 00
Total		3,786 00

22.—PENSIONS AND RETIRED ALLOWANCES.

Pension to Mrs. Ogilvy	485 00

3 .—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE, ex. of Estabh'mts

Summoning Jurors, Witnesses, &c	1,000 00
Prosecution, Interpreters' Fees, &c	2,000 00
Inquests, &c	300 00
Expenses of Registrars on Circuit	1,000 00
Criminal Punishments	200 00
Total	4,500 00

24.—CHARITABLE ALLOWANCES.

Hospital aid—Victoria	4,500 00
Do. New Westminster	3,000 00
Do. Cariboo	4,000 00
Destitute poor & sick throughout the Province.	1,000 00
Total	12,500 00
25.—IMMIGRATION	10,000 00

26.—EDUCATION.

Aid to District Schools	40,000 00

27.—POLICE AND GAOLS, exclusive of Establishments.

Keep of Prisoners and other Police Expenditure throughout the Province	20,000 00

28.—RENTS.

Government House, Victoria	48 50
Do. Lillooet	120 00
Boat House, Nanaimo	36 00
Gaol, Comox	60 00
Omineca	300 00
Total	564 50

29.—TRANSPORT.

The Lieutenant-Governor	1,000 00
Freight on Remittance of Treasure	500 00
Actual Traveling Expenses of Officers on Duty	3,500 00
Keep of Government Horses throughout the Province	300 00
Total	5,300 00

30.—WORKS AND BUILDINGS.

Completion of Gaol at Nanaimo and purchase of Land	1,000 00
Construction of Court House New Westminster	2,500 00
Total	3,500 00

31.—GOVERNMENT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

Repairs	2,000 00
Furniture	1,500 00
Water	400 00
Fuel and Light	350 00
Planting Grounds	200 00
Salary of Gardener, and assistance	700 00
Fencing	250 00
Incidentals	100 00
Total	5,500 00

32.—GOVERNMENT HOUSE, NEW WESTMINSTER.

Repairs	500 00
Fuel and Light	150 00
Gardener's Salary	500 00
Incidentals	100 00
Total	1,250 00

33.—REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, PROVINCIAL.

Government Buildings, Victoria	1,500 00
House of Assembly	500 00
Government Buildings, New Westminster	300 00
Do. Yale	500 00
Do. Lillooet and Clinton	550 00
Do. Cariboo	750 00
Do. Kootenay	2 000 00
Do. Omineca, Contingent	2 000 00
Miscellaneous Surveys throughout the Province	5,000 00
Total	13,050 00

34.—REPAIRS TO ROADS AND TRAILS THROUGHOUT THE PROVINCE.

Yale and Clinton Road	20,000 00
Clinton and Cameronton Road	14,000 00
Douglas and Clinton Road	1,000 00
Burrard Inlet Road	1,200 00
New Westminster and Yale Sleigh Road, including Bridge over Coquahalla River	6,000 00
Hope and Kootenay Trail	3 500 00
Lillooet and Lytton Trail	1,500 00
New Westminster District Roads and Trails, including False Creek, Coquitlam Creek, and Sumass Bridges	5,650 00
Trails Cariboo District	2,400 00
Trail, Quesnel to Germansen Creek, by Nation River	6,000 00
Trail from the Western Coast to intersect same	6,000 00
Roads and Trails, Yale and Lytton District, including Bridge across Nicola River	4,500 00
Repairs to Road from Cache Creek to Savona's Ferry	2,000 00
Road from Savona's Ferry to Okanagan	15,000 00
Repairs to Front Street, New Westminster	750 00
Esquimalt Road, including new Bridges	9 000 00
Victoria District Roads	15,200 00
Esquimalt District Roads and Trails, including Bridge across Sooke River	7,150 00
Cowichan District Roads and Trails	8,200 00
Nanaimo District Roads and Bridges	5,000 00
Comox Roads and Trails	6,000 00
Alberni to Nanaimo Trail, and from this point to Nanoose	2,400 00
Total	140,150 00

35.—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

Provincial Exhibitions	500 00
Insurance on all Government Buildings	700 00
Telegrams	600 00
Taking Charge of Government Buildings, Douglas and Langley	100 00
Printing General Map of Province in England	600 00
Postage throughout the Province	1,200 00
Tools and Implements for Road making	500 00
Fire Departments throughout the Province	2,500 00
Road Tax Commissioners	700 00
Grant to Mechanics' and Literary Institutes	500 00
Grant to Water Company, Victoria	7 000 00
Miscellaneous Services not detailed	2,000 00
Stationery, Fuel, Light, etc	6,500 00
Gratuities to Officers whose services may be dispensed with	2,000 00
Appropriation for re-establishment of a Ferry at Lillooet	3,000 00
Appropriation to provide temporary accommodation for Lunatics	5,000 00
Copies of Official Maps for Registrar General of Titles	400 00
Copy of Dispatches for Dominion Government	1,000 00
Total	34,800 00

FROM KAMLOOPS.—Mr. McLennan, of the survey party, who arrived from Kamloops yesterday reports that stock have wintered well. The wagon road is in a dangerous state. Numerous slides have taken place, and the road has been carried away in many places and rendered impassable. Mr. McL. thinks it will require $20,000 or $30,000 to repair the road.

INDEPENDENCE.—An Ottawa dispatch states that the Hon. Joseph Howe condemns the policy of England in withdrawing troops from Canada, and predicts a rupture between the Home Government and the Dominion, if a better understanding is not arrived at. He urges independence as the only course open to Canadians, and asks the people to prepare for separation.

COAL OIL has declined at San Francisco.

ARRIVAL OF THE UP-COUNTRY MAIL.—Mr. Sawers, in charge of the Cariboo Mail, arrived yesterday morning from Yale. Capt Haughton, M. P., and Mr. McLennan of the Survey, were passengers by the canoe which left Yale on Friday and New Westminster on Monday morning. The party landed at Mount Douglas and walked into town.

THE steamer Prince Alfred, Capt. Scholl, arrived from San Francisco at 10.30 a. m. yesterday, with 72 passengers and 150 tons of freight, and 38 bags of mail matter. The steamer had a beautiful trip up—far different from that down, in which she had head winds all the way. She was just 3 days and 16 hours in making the trip.

FOR OTTAWA.—Captain Haughton, M. P. for Yale District, arrived from Okanagan yesterday. The honorable gentleman is *en route* to Ottawa, and will sail to-morrow in the Prince Alfred. Senator Cornwall and Mrs. Cornwall will arrive at Victoria in time to connect with the next mail steamer for San Francisco.

THE MAILS.—We are glad to learn that the Dominion Government—acting (we are vain enough to think) upon our suggestion—have arranged with the new contractor for the delivery of the Cariboo mails at Victoria upon every Saturday instead of at New Westminster as called for in the advertisement.

THE tenders for the addition to the Villa Residence, were opened yesterday by Chas. Verydhen, Architect, and the following has been accepted: For brick and plastering, Humber & Good, $315; for carpenter work, Muirhead & Bruce, $755; for painting and glazing, Eli Harrison, $130; tinsmith, A. & W. Wilson, $28.

CONFEDERATION MEDAL.—Hon Dr Helmcken was yesterday the recipient from the Governor-General of Canada of a most beautiful silver medal struck in commemoration of the Confederation of Canada. The medal bears a very correct likeness of Her Majesty.

THE POST OFFICE. — Mr Wootton, with several assistants, was kept busily employed all day yesterday and far into last night in sorting mail matter. The office was kept open till a late hour to accommodate the public.

WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST, containing 50 columns of reading matter—comprising the Assembly debates and other interesting matter—may be had at T.N. Hibben & Co's; David Spencer's and at the Publication Office. Price, 12½ cents.

THE MAIL SERVICE.—Mr. Barnard was yesterday awarded the contract for carrying the mails between Victoria and Cariboo, weekly, for $1,800 a month for six months. Gerow & Johnson, former contractors, have retired from the express business.

RETURNED.—Among the passengers by the Prince Alfred were Mr. T. L. Stahlschmidt, Mr. W. H. Oliver, Mr. Edward White and wife, Mr. E. C. Parsons and wife Mr. T. L. S. Hughes and Henry Waller, all returning British Columbians.

POLICE COURT.—The nine suspicious characters were yesterday remanded for another week. They are likely to get a pretty good idea of a British Bastile before they escape from the clutches of our Police............Two natives, incipient rioters, were fined.

SHIPS COMING. — The American ship Witch of the Waves, 1020 tons, to load for Peru; and the French ship Auguste, to load for Shanghae, are going up from San Francisco for the Hastings mills.

THE steamer Douglas, Captain Clark left yesterday morning at 7 o'clock for Nanaimo and Comox with about 20 passengers, amongst whom we noticed several ladies and Messrs Lapidge and Shaw; there were three horses and two steers as freight.

PRIVATE SECRETARY.—Capt. Hankin, late Colonial Secretary of British Columbia, has been appointed private secretary to His Grace the Duke of Buckingham with a salary of £1,000. This appointment does not affect Capt. Hankin's Canadian pension.

LIGHTHOUSE FOR THE EAST COAST.—H.M.S. Scout will sail at 7 o'clock on Thursday morning for the East Coast, with His Excellency the Lieut. Governor, who, it is rumored, goes to select the site for a new lighthouse.

The steamer Grappler, Capt Devereaux, arrived from Nanaimo yesterday. The ship Constitution was loading and the ship Germania was ready for sea.

THE City Council held a special meeting on the Water Bill last evening, and the Mayor was deputed to ask the Government's intentions.

DISCHARGED.—Joseph Hamilton, arrested for an assault on J. Taylor, has been discharged from arrest, as not being of unsound mind.

LAID OVER.—Several communications and advertisements are laid over to-day for want of space.

MAILS TO CLOSE TO-NIGHT.—The mail for Cariboo, the mail for Skeena, and the mail for San Francisco and the East.

PROMOTION.—We understand that Sub-Lieut. Diggle of H.M.S.Boxer, has been promoted to be a Lieutenant in H.M.Naval Service.

DR. TREW AND WIFE, from Hamilton, Ontario, arrived yesterday, to settle at New Westminster.

TENDER.—The time for receiving tenders by Mr. Watt for the supply of the C. P. R. S expires at noon to-day.

THE City Council, at its meeting this evening, will pass a congratulatory address to Her Majesty.

SUGAR.—On the 1st of March sugar declined two cents per lb., at San Francisco.

MAIL MATTER —Thirty-eight bags of mail matter came in yesterday.

COUNTY COURT.—Some trifling cases were heard yesterday.

CHEESE is high and scarce at San Francisco.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Feb 26.—A *World* correspondent has returned from the South African diamond fields, says much of the diamond seekers' success depends on chance. At Calexberg Napple, the richest spot, about 75 per cent, of the miners are making money. The miners are of the law abiding class. The best people in the colonies go to the mines, and during the correspondent's stay there he never saw or heard of a single shooting case, and quarrels, though, of course, inevitable, are exceedingly rare. Very little drinking or gambling is going on. There are about thirty Americans, and all doing well. There seems to be a demand for Americans, the Dutchmen taking a great fancy to them, while they hate an Englishman exceedingly. Major Beebe, of Boston is the most prosperous American. He is getting from one to ten diamonds a day, and has found two weighing respectively seventy-five and forty carats. The diamonds found in South Africa are of as fine a quality as the Brazilian diamonds, though the latter are by far the less brilliant and look somewhat like round glass. Most of the South African diamonds are yellowish in hue, but many are of the most perfect and pellucid specimens that have been found. The correspondent took 1,500 to London, disposed of 1,200 tho and 300 he brought here. They are picked ones. One of them, a London jeweler declared, the finest of its size—eight carats.

LONDON, Feb. 29th—Midnight—The excitement to-night over the report of the attempt on the life of the Queen, is intense. Extras of the evening papers appeared in rapid succession, as confirmatory details became known. Crowds are still collected on the streets, discussing the news, and awaiting further particulars.

An official statement of the fact was promptly made in Parliament this evening, which, when it became known outside, greatly relieved public anxiety. While the House of Lords was in committee discussing the Ecclesiastical bill, Lord Granville entered and said, that he hoped their lordships would excuse the sudden interruption of the proceedings, but he had an announcement to make, which it was desirable should be made without delay. He then proceeded to state that at half-past five this evening, the Queen, in returning from a drive, had reached Buckingham Palace. As her carriage stopped at the gate, a young man ran to her side, and presented a pistol within a foot of the Queen's head. The Queen bent her head down to avoid the shot, but the pistol did not explode.

The fellow in one hand held a paper asking the release of the Fenian prisoners, which he shouted to the Queen to sign, threatening her at the same time with the pistol. He was instantly seized by the attendants and prevented from doing futher harm. It was then found that his pistol was unloaded, and that it was of such primitive construction that if it had been loaded it probably could not have been discharged.

Her Majesty was very calm, and showed the courage which she has often before exhibited. She had directed that a statement of the circumstances be immediately made in both Houses of Parliament, in order to prevent exaggerated reports.

Lord Granville said he would not dwell on the details, or point out the contrast between the cowardly act and Tuesday's extraordinary exhibition of the nation's loyalty.

The Duke of Buckingham briefly expressed the thankfulness of the House at the escape of Her Majesty from danger.

A BEE ROMANCE.—In a Missouri paper we read a romance of which Mr Haynes and his little son are jointly the heroes. As the story runs they were in a field, when a swarm of bees alighted upon the boy, covering him from head to foot; they hung upon his ears, chin and nose in great bunches, and clung in thick clusters to every part of his body. Mr. Haynes realizing the dangerous situation in which his child was placed, commanded him to stand quite still. This the brave little fellow did, until the bees had all settled. Mr. Haynes then took a stick gently lifted the boy's hat from his head, and placed it upon a neighboring bush, when the entire swarm left their extraordinary resting-place and took to the hat and bush. Strange to relate the boy only received one sting and that was caused by his seizing with his teeth a bee that was trying to make its way into his mouth.

THE dead body found at Metchosin is that of an Indian. An inquest will be held to-day.

THE Prince Alfred will sail for San Francisco at 10 a. m., tomorrow.

MRS. LANGE'S DANCING ACADEMY in the Royal Exchange Hall continues to attract large and respectable assemblies of ladies and gentlemen. The regular class evenings are Tuesdays and Fridays, from 8 to 10. The class is and will be always kept in a most select style, *

AUSPICIOUS 1872. — Its present outline shrouded in mystery like an impenetrable Victoria fog, settled upon sea and land, with a sky above so clear and beautiful. Each consecutive year since 1858 has appeared in various forms, with the same pertinacity, the announcement that Pocket and Office Diaries, and Almanacs are ready for the Season.—T. N HIBBEN & Co 3m*

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

Rich and rare are the suits they wear,
Who buy of David Green;
Within his store a splendid stock
Is always to be seen.
By every mail, the latest styles
Arrive from Eastern marts—
From New York, London, France, Berlin
And other foreign parts *

REMEMBER THE FATE OF ABSALOM.—Fred Payne, Tonsorial Artist. Shaving 12½ cents Hair Cutting 25 cents, Shampooing 25 cents That Original Cheap Shaving Shop stand on the sunny side of Johnson street.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

A NOVELTY IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.— Pe La y Lamps n. Direct from the celebrated manufactory of James Salmon. Perforating, Paging and Cutting machines. The above machines are used in the largest Binderies in England, Canada and the Eastern States for Perforating, Paging or numbering Cheques, Receipts and Blank books.—R. T. WILLIAMS, at Messrs T N Hibben & Co's. *

Auction Sales.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,
Auctioneers
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,
WHARF ST, VICTORIA.

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot of Yates street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade, or Furniture purchased for Cash

Liberal advances made on Consignments.

Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general accountant's business confidentially transacted ap4 1m.

Victoria Gymnastic Club
TURN-VEREIN.

A NEW COURSE OF PRACTICE, conducted by Louis Stemmler, has commenced at the Hall of the Society, View Street, between Quadra and Blanchard.

Practising nights, Mondays and Thursdays from 8 to 10 o'clock. Application for Membership to be made at Hall.

fe11 GEO. T. BUCK, Secretary.

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Corner of Cormorant and Store Streets
VICTORIA, V. I.

THE BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS and Cigars on hand
THREE
BOTTLES OF BEER
FOR FIFTY CENTS.

mh2 6m P. GILLIGAN.

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FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES at JAY & CO'S Seed Store, Yates street, Victoria.
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EASTERN CHEESE,
GUNNY SACKS, Large Size
RAISINS in 1-4, 1-2 and whole Boxes,
CONGOU & JAPAN TEA.

FOR SALE BY
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NOW LANDING
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And For Sale by the Undersigned
Iron and Steel
COMPRISING
BARS, SHEETS, PLATES, SHOE SHAPE
R. G. IRON, SWEDISH IRON, SPRING
PICK, DRILL AND TOE STEEL.

HARDWARE!

Horse and Mule Shoes, Smoothing Irons Gas Pipes, Saucepans and Oval Pots, Boilers up to 120 gallons, Men's Women's and Boys' Skates, Cow and Sheep Bells, Clothes Lines Padlocks, English Door Locks, Screws and Hinges, Fryingpans, Draining Tools, Plated-ware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, English Pars for Grates, Fire Bricks, Lead Pipe, Sheet Lead Wrapping Paper, &c.

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And constantly arriving a great variety of

ENGLISH, AMERICAN AND CANADIAN GOODS,

Including Plows, Fan Mills, Grindstones, Builder's and Domestic Hardware, Axes, Axe and Pick Handles, &c.

ALFRED FELLOWS,
14 and 16 Yates Street.
fe6 1m

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a tract of Land, containing 640 acres, situated on the right bank of the Columbia River, at the "Big Eddy," just east of the Eagle Pass, is reserved until further notice. The Storehouses of the Canadian Pacific Railway survey are in the centre of said Reserve.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, 27th February, 1872. mh3

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Implements.
Messrs Whiting & Cowan
OSHAWA, ONT.
MANUFACTURERS OF
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HAVE APPOINTED US AGENTS FOR the sale of their manufactures in B.C. Samples may be seen at our Store, Wharf street, and orders will be taken for the same.

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A LARGE ROOM ON THE SECOND Floor of the BRITISH COLONIST BUILDING, Fireproof, will be let low to a good tenant. Apply at This Office.

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MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Diningrooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in Advance.

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BOARDING HOUSE,

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Board and Lodging per Week	$7 00
Board per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37

Every attention paid to the comfort of Boarder
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GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, V I

This Establishment
Is now Open for the Reception of Guests
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THE ROOMS HAVE ALL BEEN
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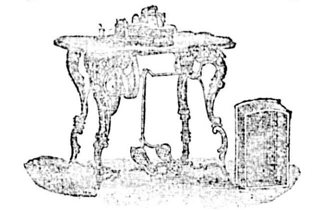

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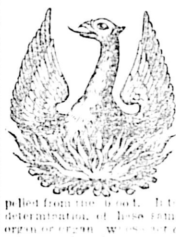

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CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to Incorporate the Canada Pacific Railway Company, for the purpose of constructing and working a railway from Lake Nipissing, or some other point in the Province of Ontario, connecting with the railway system of Canada, to Fort Garry or Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba, thence westerly through such pass of the Rocky Mountains in Canadian territory as may be found practicable to Bute Inlet or some other point on the seaboard of the Pacific Ocean, in the Province of British Columbia, with power to extend to Victoria, or some other point on Vancouver Island, if found advisable; together with branch lines from near Winnipeg river to the Lake of the Woods, and from Fort Garry or Winnipeg aforesaid to Pembina, or such other point or place on the boundary of the Province of Manitoba as may connect with the railway system of the United States.

ALFRED WADDINGTON.
Ottawa, Dec 2 1871. de21d&w

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE made at the next session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to Incorporate "The Western Canadian Pacific Railway Company," for the purpose of constructing and working a Railway commencing at a point at or near Victoria, British Columbia, thence to some point on the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island, and from thence, by bridge or steam communication, to some point or points on the Western Coast of the Mainland of British Columbia between the 49th and 54th parallels of North latitude, thence through the Mainland of British Columbia to some practicable pass in the Rocky Mountains to the North West Territories, and to some point in the said North West Territories, where a junction will be effected with a line of railway starting from the Railway System in the North Eastern part of Ontario and running towards the Rocky Mountains, with power to make such deviations and branch lines to connect with the Seaboard of Vancouver Island or elsewhere as may be advisable; and for the purposes aforesaid to establish, equip and maintain such Ferries and Steam Vessels as may be necessary.

DRAKE & JACKSON, Solicitors.
Victoria, BC, Jan 24th, 1872. j25

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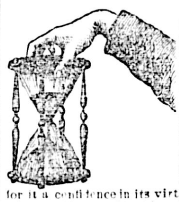

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WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC on Monday morning, the 12th February.

The undersigned respectfully requests the patronage of their former friends and the public generally.

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Municipal

CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

ANNO TRICESIMO QUINTO
VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

Municipal By-Law for raising a Revenue within the City of Victoria.

We, the Mayor and Councillors in Council convened by virtue of the power and authority by an Act entitled "The Victoria Ordinance, 1867," and the Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance 1869

Whereas it is expedient for the good government of the City of Victoria that an annual Revenue be raised for Municipal purposes:

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That from and after the passage of this By-Law, the general Municipal revenue shall be raised, levied and collected for the use of the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria from such sources as are hereinafter provided, viz:

Owners of Real Estate in respect of such estate including Improvements thereon, within the City limits.

Persons carrying on any trade or business by Wholesale within the City limits.

Persons carrying on any other trade, business or calling, within the City limits.

Persons keeping horses for private use within the City limits.

Owners of all dogs running at large within the City limits.

2. There shall be raised, levied and collected upon and from all owners of Real Estate, including Improvements thereon, within the City limits, except the real estate and Improvements thereon that are exempted by the "Victoria Municipal Ordinance, 1867," an annual rate of One Third of One per centum on the market value thereof

3. There shall be levied on and from all persons carrying on any trade or business by Wholesale, an annual rate of $20 00.

4. There shall be levied on and from all persons carrying on any other trade, business or calling, an annual rate of $5 00.

For the purposes of this By-Law the term "Wholesale Trader" shall be held to mean, Bankers, Proprietors of Express offices, Auctioneers, Water Companies, Brewers, Gas Companies, Insurance Companies, Coal Merchants, and all persons who sell articles in bulk or unbroken packages, and liquors under a wholesale License.

And all persons selling goods, wares, merchandise or other chattels other than as a wholesale trader within the City limits shall be deemed liable to the payment of the annual rate of $5 00

And all persons peddling goods, wares, merchandise or other chattel, within the City limits shall be deemed to be a retail trader, and when required by an officer of the Municipal Council so to do shall produce his Municipal License; and all persons selling by wholesale and retail shall be liable to the payment of both rates.

5. There shall be levied upon and from the owners of all dogs running at large, an annual rate of $2 00 for each dog.

6. There shall be levied upon all persons keeping horses for their private use, an annual rate of $2 50 for each horse.

From and after the passing of this By-Law the Municipal Assessment Roll made by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, and finally passed by the Court of Revision for the year 1872, shall be and continue to be the Assessment Roll of the said City subject to be altered and amended from time to time as by law provided, and the number of the Town Lots on the said assessment Roll shall be arranged in numerical order.

8. The Municipal Roll may be inspected by any person at all reasonable times, free of any charge whatever.

9. Any notice under this By Law required to be served on any owner of Real Estate, or other person in respect of assessments or money due on account of assessments under this By-Law, shall be served either personally or by leaving the same (or depositing it in the Post Office in an enclosure addressed to such owner or other person as aforesaid) at his or her last known place of abode; and in case such owners are unknown or cannot be found, by affixing a copy thereof at or near some conspicuous part of each town lot or other piece of land or property in respect of which the assessment therein referred to shall have been made.

10. The person who for the time being shall appear on said Assessment Roll as the owner of any Real Estate, shall, for the purposes of this By Law be deemed to be such owner; and if Real Estate shall not be assessed to any person by name, or the owner aforesaid shall not be known or cannot be found, then the affixing the notice aforesaid, in manner aforesaid, at or on the land or other property aforesaid, shall be deemed to be, and shall be, due and sufficient service of such notice.

11 The rate or tax on Real Estate shall be deemed to be due on the 1st day of March, 1872, and shall be payable at the office of the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or to the collectors appointed) on the fourteenth day after the final passage of the Assessment Roll aforesaid.

12. All the monies due under the provisions of this By-Law shall be deemed to be payable half-yearly in advance, except in case of ratepayers, who shall be rated or assessed in a sum not exceeding Two Dollars and Fifty Cents per annum, and in such case the rate or tax shall be deemed to be payable in full in advance.

13 The monies to be collected in respect of the rates or taxes levied under sections three and four of this By-Law shall be deemed to be due on the 1st day of March and shall be payable at the office of the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or to the Collector appointed) half yearly in advance, on the first Monday in March and on the first Monday in September in every year, and in the event of any such payment being in arrears for the space of Thirty days after it shall be due, the person or persons failing to pay shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Fifty Dollars.

14. The monies to be collected in respect of the rates or taxes levied under sections five and six of this By-Law shall be deemed to be due on the 1st day of March and shall be payable at the office of the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or to the Collector appointed) on the first Monday in March in every year.

15. If the Municipal Rates or Taxes in respect of Real Estate hereby made payable be not paid within one calendar month after the day or days fixed for payment thereof as aforesaid, interest after the rate of twelve per centum per annum shall thereupon attach and be payable until the amount due with such interest be registered as a charge against the property assessed.

16. On and after the expiration of one year from the day of default as aforesaid, the amount of such rate or tax and also the amount of any rate or tax now overdue for a like period and interest and cost of registration may, on the application in writing in the usual form of the Clerk of the Municipal Council, be registered as a charge against the land in respect of which such rate or tax was payable

17. From and after the date of registration as aforesaid the amount covered by any and every such charge shall bear interest at the rate of eighteen per centum per annum, and after the expiration of three years from such date, the land and property against which such charge has been registered shall and may be sold by public auction.

18. Any person or persons using any occupation, trade business or calling, as specified above, and liable to pay a rate or tax in respect of the same shall, previously to entering upon such business, occupation, trade, business or calling, obtain from the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or the collector appointed) a receipt for the amount for which he or they shall have been assessed, such receipt to be in the form marked "A" in the schedule hereunto annexed.

19. Every person keeping a horse or horses within the City limits for private use who shall fail to pay to the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or the collector appointed) yearly in advance, as aforesaid, the sum of $2 50 for each and every horse kept by him, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of $5 for each and every such horse so kept by him.

20. The owner of any dog allowed to run at large failing to pay the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or the collector appointed) yearly in advance as aforesaid the sum of $2 for each and every dog so owned by him, or permitting such dog to run at large without the collar and tag or mark hereinafter referred to, shall be liable to pay a penalty not exceeding $10

21 On payment of the rate or tax made payable by section 5 of this By-Law, the Clerk of the Municipal Council (or the collector appointed) will furnish the owner of the dog or dogs, in respect of which the rate or tax has been paid with a receipt and also a tag or mark which must be attached by the owner thereof to a collar placed around the neck of each dog

22 The harborer of any dog for the space of one month shall be deemed the owner thereof

23 In the construction of this By-Law words importing the singular number or the masculine gender only, shall be understood to include several matters as well as one matter, and several persons as well as one person, and bodies corporate as well as individuals, and females as well as male; and words importing the plural number shall be understood to apply to one matter as well as more than one, unless such meanings shall be repugnant to or inconsistent with, the context.

This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as "The Municipal Revenue By-Law, 1872."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of February, A.D. 1872.

WM. LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

SCHEDULE TO THE MUNICIPAL REVENUE BY-LAW, 1872

Name of Party paying.	Place of Business	Am't of Assessm't for year ending

The said ——— is hereby authorized to carry on the business of ——— (a Wholesale or Retail Trader) within the city of Victoria, B.C., during the half year ending.

———,
fe29 Clerk to the Municipal Council.

FARRON & MITCHELL
General Traders,

FORKS OF SKEENA RIVER.

HAVING THE ONLY STOREHOUSE on the River, all goods consigned to us will be stored at reasonable rates and promptly forwarded to their destination. We are responsible for all goods received by us, except in case of fire.

A Large Stock of General Goods and Miners' Outfits
FOR SALE LOW

Having a Large Fireproof cellar for perishable goods are prepared to store goods for the winter.

fe3 FARRON & MITCHELL.

Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE,

ESQUIMALT GRAVING DOCK.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA invite tenders to be sent in to the Land and Works Office, Victoria, up to noon of the 20th March, 1872, for the construction of a Graving Dock at Esquimalt, British Columbia, under the guarantee provided in twelfth section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:

The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work at the rate of five per cent per annum on such sum not exceeding £100 000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt.

The dock is to be of a clear length of not less than 450 feet, a clear breadth of 90 feet at top and 50 feet at bottom, and affording a depth of water at ordinary high tide of not less than 24 feet on the sill, and to be substantially built upon a site to be selected and provided by the party or parties tendering, subject to the approval of the Government. Parties tendering are required to specify the time within which they propose to complete the Dock

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tenders for Esquimalt Graving Dock," and addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and accompanied by plans and drawings showing the exact dimensions of the Dock proposed to be built, the mode of construction and materials to be used therein.

Parties desirous of tendering, but who may decline to do so under the guarantee above named as insufficient, are invited to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government, or other financial inducement as they may suggest

HENRY HOLBROOK,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Office, Nov 20th, 1871. no21d&w

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ALPHAbetical list of all persons within the District of Nanaimo, who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1872, is deposited in the Court House, Nanaimo, and can be inspected at all reasonable hours.

WILLIAM STEWART, Collector.
Nanaimo, 1st Feb., 1872. fe5d&w

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an alphabetical list of all persons who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 187 , within the District of Comox, is deposited in the Magistrate's Office, at Comox, and is open to inspection at all reasonable hours.

JOSEPH RODELLO,
Collector of Road Tax.
Comox, V.I., Feb 1st 1872. fe26d&w

RE S. DOWN, DECEASED.

PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Samuel Down, late of Victoria, B. C., who died in October last, are to send in such claims to me; and persons indebted to the same Estate are requested to pay such debts to me immediately.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor to the Executor.
Masonic Hall, Victoria, Feb 26, 1872. fe27 1m d&w

BRITISH COLUMBIA SAVINGS BANK.

VICTORIA OFFICE.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO leave their Pass Books at the Treasury any day during the week, or at the sub-office, Government street, (open from 12 to 1 o'clock) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, for the purpose of having inserted the accrued interest at the close of 1871.

By order of the Commissioners.

JOHN GRAHAM, in Charge.
Victoria, B C, Feb 17 1872, fe18

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.
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Licences Ordinance 1867

It is hereby notified for general information that Licenses under the above Ordinance for the current half-year ending June 30th, 1872, are due and payable at the Office of the Stipendiary Magistrate, Bastion Street Victoria.

No further intimation will be given to those liable to pay Licenses under the above act,

By Order, H B GOOD,
fe1 Clerk to Stipendiary Magistrate

NOTICE.

FOR THE BETTER INFORMATION of the Public generally, Notice is hereby given, that all of the Crown Lands lying to the South and West of James Bay have heretofore been and continue still to be reserved by the Government of British Columbia, and that the said Lands are therefore not open to pre-emption by any person.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands & Works Office,
Victoria, B C, 9th Feb, 1872. fe11

APPOINTMENT.

Colonial Secretary's Office, 7th Feb, 1872.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENant Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM FRASER TOLMIE, Esq. to be a Member of the Municipal Court of Revision, under Section 4, Subdivision 18 of the "Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance, 1867."
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Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870" and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to

JOSEPH WEBB of Suburban Lot No 7, Newcastle Town, said to contain 3.39 acres

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the mean time against the issue thereof

H B W AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
Land Registry, Feb 2nd, 1872. fe4 3m

NOTICE.

LAYING OVER CLAIMS.

ON AND AFTER 1st NOVEMBER, 1871 all Mining Claims in Cariboo District are hereby Laid Over until 20th May, 1872

H M BALL,
de17 A. G.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
APPOINTMENT.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Jan 15th, 1872.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENant Governor has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Henry Holbrook to be an unofficial member of the Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia
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In Liquidation.

AT A MEETING OF THE BRITISH Columbia Whaling Company, Limited, held on the 26th Dec, 1871, it was resolved to wind up the Company by voluntary liquidation, and Robert Wallace and James Hutcheson were appointed liquidators.

In accordance with the above resolution, the undersigned request all parties having claims against the said Company to hand in the same to their office on or before the 10th day of February next

They also offer for sale by private contract the entire plant and stock of the Company, including the schooner Kate, as she now lies at Dickson, Campbell & Co's wharf, well found in sails, anchors, &c, &c.

A schedule of the plant can be seen at the office of the liquidators.

Should the property not be disposed of by private sale before the 20th day of February, the whole will be sold by public auction on Tuesday the 19th day of March.

WALLACE & HUTCHESON,
Liquidators.
Victoria, B C, Jan 25th, 1872 mh1

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